## Menno Bulletín Weekly

## **Bulletin Announcements for October 14, 2018**

## Witmer Heights Church Life Activities Calendar

Oct. 15 – Volunteer Day at MCC Resource Center – 9:00 am – 3:00 pm.

Oct. 27 – "Guess Who's Coming to Dinner" event – 6:00 pm. for those who registered.

Nov. 3 – Women's Regional Gathering at Stumptown Mennonite Church. 9:00 – 12:00 noon.

Nov. 10 - MCC World Relief Workday at Material Resource Center for the Mellinger District churches - 9:00 - 12:00.

Nov. 14 – Community Night – 6:00 pm. Meal at 6:15 pm. followed by games. Bring food for fellowship meal.

2019 - Sept. 20, 21, 22 - Church Retreat at Penn Valley Retreat Center (Mark your calendar NOW to avoid conflict.)

Sunday, October 14Sunday, October 21MessageBishop Joe MillerBishop Rodney MartinGreetersJohn and Mim BuckwalterJohn H. and Kathryn Landis

**~Continue to pray for safety for Pastor Randy and Emily** on the final week of the pilgrimage, walking The Camino de Santiago (the way of St. James) trail, in Spain. Randy left September 15. Emily joined him for the last half of the walk.

~Encouragement Link – Week of October 7-13 (extended to Oct. 20 in case you forgot.)

Joshua Boyer – Mary/Paul Zehr

Micah Boyer – Lois/Marvin Weaver

Jansen Kachel – Tricia/Jon Stoltzfus

Madeline Mast – Judy/Don Stoltzfus

Maria Swartley – Becky/John Rutt

Allison Kachel – Sophia/Daniel Zook

Leslie Wang – Ruth Ann/Merle Reinford

- **Monday, October 15 Come one, come all.... to volunteer** at the MCC Material Resource Center from **9:00 to 3:00**. If you plan to stay all day, bring a packed lunch. The staff is planning a variety of tasks for us, so plan to join in this day of work, fellowship, and satisfying rewards.
- ~Monday, October 15 Hidden in Plain Sight—Join together at 6:30 p.m. at James Street Mennonite Church when Dr. Leroy Hopkins will share stories covering African Americans' role and involvement in Lancaster from the beginning of the city and county in the early 1700s through challenges faced in the twentieth century as well as the fight for civil rights.
- **~Tuesday, October 16 Connections** will meet from 9:15 11:00 am. at Mellinger Mennonite Church fellowship hall. The speaker this week, Jenice Weaver, will share on the theme of "Biblical Family Journey." One of the greatest jobs in the world is leading your child to Christ. We will learn how to live out Deut. 6:5-9 and focus our lives toward Christ and God's will.

## ~Tuesday, October 16 - CHILDREN'S MINISTRY RESOURCE EVENT

This event "Discipling Children in the Church" will be held at the LMC Offices, 2160 Lincoln Hwy E. **Time is** 6:30-8:30 pm. Anyone who works with or ministers to children in your congregation is welcome to come to this FREE resourcing event. **What to expect:** Plenary speaker, worship and prayer, networking opportunities, resource suggestions, light refreshments, free gift to the first 15 registrants. Registration is requested. Register at: <a href="mailto:lmccmre101618.eventbrite.com">lmccmre101618.eventbrite.com</a> Questions: Contact Marcia Mylin at 717-293-5246 ext. 114 or <a href="mailto:mmylin@lmcchurches.org">mmylin@lmcchurches.org</a> for more information.

- **~Saturday, October 20 Move in Mission**. Newlyweds, young families, empty-nesters, or grandparents? Regardless of your season in life, Friends of EMM will help your family explore ways that you can move in mission locally and globally through EMM. These twice-a-year gatherings feature missional inspiration and resources, along with a delicious brunch. Child care is available for children who are registered in advance. If your family would like to find out how to get involved in God's transforming work, join us! Questions? Contact <u>Jessica Fellenger</u>. **Registration closes October 11.**
- ~Saturday, November 3 6:30 pm Eastern Mennonite Missions Vision and Fundraiing Banquet at Eden Resort Courtyard, 222 Eden Road, Lancaster. Theme: The gift of presence will explore how to live the good news by being present. **Registration deadline: Fri. October 19**. Contact Jessica Fellenger at <a href="mailto:jessica.fellenger@emm.org">jessica.fellenger@emm.org</a> or 717-898-2251, ext. 235.
- **Saturday, November 10** A World Relief Workday is planned for the Mellinger District Churches (Mellinger, Stumptown, and Witmer Heights) from 9:00 am to 12:00 noon. Goal: 50 workers. There will be projects for all. In order to help MRC staff prepare call 717-656-6429 or jhsiegrist606@gmail.com to register.